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Taylor, Nicholas R.

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## **Amendment Transmittal**

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application, responsive to an Office Action dated <u>February 25, 2008</u>.

## FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

2. [X] No additional fee is require	ed.
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Independent Claims	5	-	5	0	x \$210.00	=.		0.00
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4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, including any fee for extension of time or credit any overpayment to Law Offices of Peter H. Priest Deposit Account No. 50-1058.

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### Amendment After Final

Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action of February 25, 2008, please amend the above identified application as follows: